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RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 20, 2002 please amend the above identified application as follows.

In the Claims:

1. (Amended) A method of forming a colored bright anodized coating on a surface of an aluminum alloy article, when said alloy contains more than three percent by weight magnesium, said method comprising

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